

### Short Covering Builds Grains

#### Feed Shortage Boosts Market; Wheat, Rye Gain

By WILLIAM FERRIS  
CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—(AP)—A short-covering movement based upon reports of government buying of cash wheat and the continued drought in the midwest provided a strong undertone to grain market today. Offerings in all pits were light and both wheat and rye scored gains of more than a cent.

The market drew support from a bureau of agricultural economics statement that the supply of feed grains per unit of livestock is less than in any year since the drought in the early 1930s. However, the bureau expected increased imports and said 15,000,000 tons of wheat would be fed to livestock in the 1943-44 crop season.

At one time wheat and rye were up nearly 2 cents, but profit-taking shaved extreme gains. At the close wheat was 1/4 higher, May \$1.70 1/2, oats were up 3/4-1/2, May 78 1/2, rye was ahead 7/4-1/2, May \$1.29 1/2-1.30, and barley was 3/4-1/2 higher, May \$1.22 1/4.

### Boilermakers To Appear

PORTLAND, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Attorneys of the International AFL Boilermakers union will appear before the state supreme court at Salem Friday in an attempt to regain control of the wealthy Portland local.

Wilber Henderson, attorney for the international, said he would ask that a circuit court decision, which turned over union affairs from the international vice president to a receiver, be suspended pending a supreme court appeal.

The petition would prevent the election of convention delegates, already called by Oscar Furuset, chairman of Portland's civil service commission, who was appointed receiver Saturday. The convention opens in Kansas City January 31.

PORT FREELEY, Alaska.—(AP)—Editors of the Kodiak Bear, camp newspaper, want relatives to send them baby pictures of men now stationed at Fort Greely.

They will be published each week under the heading "This Week's Bear."

### "Strictly Private" By Quinn Hall



DEAR MOM— WE ARE KINDA BACK IN CIVILIZATION AGAIN... I WAS TELLING THE SARGE I WAS LONESOME... & HE SAYS WHY DON'T I HAVE A DATE... HE SAYS I COULD CHOOSE MY OWN COMPANY YOUR SON

### Market Need To Be Probed

#### Pomona Grange Names Committee for Project

LIBERTY—Immediate lifting of the restrictions on slaughtering of farm livestock was recommended in resolutions adopted by the Marion county Pomona grange Tuesday, meeting here with Red Hills grange as host. A resolution calling for a survey of existing game conditions in certain sections of Oregon was tabled.

Morton Tompkins, state grange master, who recently returned from a three months visit to England as a representative farmer of the United States, spoke on England in war times as observed by him. He is scheduled to speak at an open meeting of Salem grange, next Wednesday at 8 o'clock in the Salem Women's clubhouse, 460 North Cottage street.

A public market committee to investigate the probable need for such a continued project in Salem, was named. Mrs. Walter Baruch is the consumer representative, and Theodore Nelson, producers representative. Members of the Pomona committee are Willard Stephens of North Howell, W. E. Savage of Chemawa and Harry E. Marten of Madras.

The committee will investigate the probable number of producers of perishable produce and whether such a market would be needed.

Verne Scott, Union Hill, is master of Pomona grange and presided at the meeting attended by 75 members. Purchase of a \$50 war bond was voted.

Reports were given by W. M. Tate, agricultural committee; Rex Hartley, legislative; Daisy Bump, home economics; Josephine Fox, juvenile grange. Women of the Red Hills grange served luncheon at noon. Those in charge were

### Specialties, Rails Rally

#### Carriers Enjoy Belated Spurt; Low Issues Dealt

By BERNARD S. O'HARA  
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Selected rails and specialties contributed a rallying tinge to today's stock market.

The war bond drive again was the principal competitor for corporate securities. Carriers, which had pretty well discounted the return of the roads to private ownership, enjoyed a belated revival on the though the big wage increase might be partly offset by a fall in excess profits taxes and continued heavy traffic.

Low and medium-priced issues provided the principal activity throughout although dealings, on the whole, were restricted. The Associated Press 60-stock average was up 2 of a point at 50.9, best level since late last October. The composite had been unchanged or lower in the three preceding sessions. Transfers totaled 730,440 shares compared with 639,230 Wednesday.

### Stafford Rites Held in Gates

GATES—Funeral services for George Monroe Stafford, 90, who died January 11 were held in Mill City and burial was made in the family plot at Fairview cemetery near Gates.

Mr. Stafford was born September 4, 1853 at Cedar Cliff, Alacama county, North Carolina. He came west when young and worked in gold and silver mines in Colorado and Idaho, and later in Oregon mines.

He was powder man for the first logging railroad from Mill City into the timber south and east of town, in 1906 and 1907 working for the Curtis Lumber Co. At that time it took two days to drive to Salem and roads were usually almost impassable in winter.

He was married to Genevieve Hennes on May, 1885, and they lived on the Hennes homestead until 1923 and it is still owned by their oldest son. He made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Bessie Bassett of Fox Valley.

Survivors are nine children, 21 grandchildren and many great grandchildren. The children are George Stafford, jr., Niagara; Mrs. Eva Bevins, Mrs. Bessie Bassett, Lyons; Mrs. Edith Kanoff,

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### Quotations at Portland

**East Side Market**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—A very slack session at the East Side wholesale market today was highlighted chiefly by the arrival of a small stock of green onions and mustard greens.

**FRUITS**  
Apples—Baldwins 2.00-2.25 jumble box; Rome Beauty 2.50-2.75; Spitzenberg 2.50-2.80 box.

**VEGETABLES**  
Broccoli—Green 1.00-1.25 lug and dozen bunches.  
Cabbage—No. 1 green 2.50 crate; red 1.50 pony crate; savoy (curly) 60-65c cauliflower crate.  
Cauliflower—No. 1, 1.75-2.00 crate; near is, 1.40, No. 2, 1.00-1.25.

**PORTLAND LIVESTOCK**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—(WFA)—Cattle, saleable and total: 100 calves 28; market slow, mostly steady, but steers scarce; good fed steers Wednesday 14.50-15.25; week's top 16.25; common-medium heifers 9.00-12.00; cutters down to 7.00; canner-

### Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—Butter—AA grade primus 46c; cartons 45c; B grade primus 45c; cartons 44c. Butterfat—First quality, maximum of 4 per cent acidity, delivered at Portland 52-53c; premium quality, maximum of 3.5 per cent acidity, delivered at Portland 51-52c; second quality at Portland 2c less than first, or 50-50c lb.

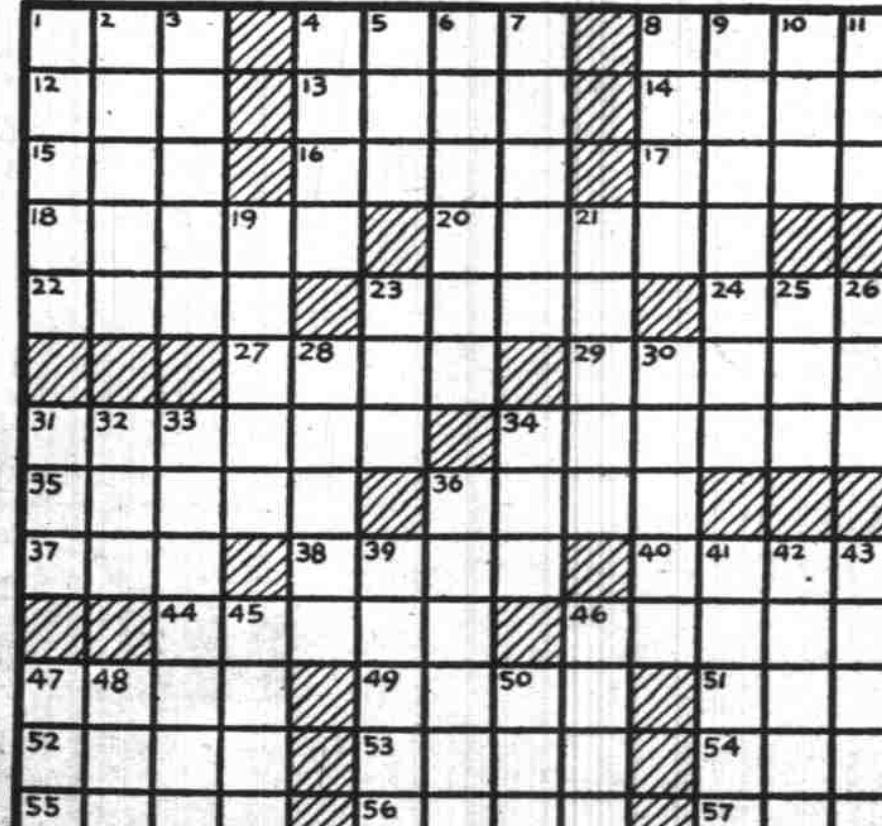
**EGGS AND POULTRY**  
Eggs—No. 1, 27c; No. 2, 26c; extra large, 29c; extra small, 24c. Poultry—Crown Roaster, 10-11 lb., 3.50; Fryer, 8-9 lb., 3.25; Rocker, 6-7 lb., 3.00; Leghorns, 1.50-1.75; Rhode Island Reds, 1.50-1.75; Old English Game, 1.50-1.75.

### Salem Market Quotations

The prices below supplied by a local grocer are indicative of the daily market prices paid to growers by Salem buyers but are not guaranteed by The Statesman.

Cabbage, doz.	2.00
Carrots, doz.	1.50
Onions, doz.	1.50
Peas, doz.	2.50
Spinach, doz.	1.50
Turnips, doz.	1.50
Butter, doz.	2.00
Eggs, doz.	2.50
Poultry, lb.	1.50
Wheat, doz.	1.50
Barley, doz.	1.50
Oats, doz.	1.50

### Crossword Puzzle



- HORIZONTAL**  
1. Entire amount  
4. Rambles idly  
8. Wild plum  
12. What New Guinea base was recaptured by Allied forces prior to the fall of Salamaua?  
13. Entrance  
14. Canons  
15. Reventral fear  
16. What Italian city is the prime objective of the Allies?  
17. Single unit  
18. Male nickname  
20. Fuels  
22. Being  
23. Afflictions  
24. What is the principal mountain in Crete?  
27. Narrow streak  
29. Cavity  
31. Who is in command of the American Seventh Army?  
34. What is the sacred river of India?  
35. Town in New York  
36. Male sheep (pl.)  
37. Decimal unit  
38. River in Bohemia  
40. Ages  
44. Denominations  
46. Make up for  
47. Mint  
49. What is the westernmost island of the Aleutians?  
51. Deep hole  
52. Sword handle  
53. Oblique glance  
54. Note in Guido's scale  
55. Toward the shelter  
56. Icelandic literature  
57. Female ruff
- VERTICAL**  
1. Wings  
2. Who was one of the best-known wardens of Sing-Sing?  
3. English town  
4. What important manufacturing city lies in N. W. Indiana?  
5. Bustle  
6. Chin depression  
7. Heavy metal  
8. Narrow aperture  
9. City in Michigan  
10. Be indebted  
11. S-shaped worm  
19. Alluvial deposit at a river mouth  
21. Indian province  
23. Fotel  
25. Pavable  
26. Beast of burden  
28. Type of architecture  
30. Piece inserted  
31. Cooking utensil  
32. Malt drink  
33. Capable of tension  
34. Pike-like fish  
36. Took ease  
39. Loss freshness  
41. Who was Secretary of Commerce from 1933 to 1939?  
42. Old-womanish  
43. Britches  
45. Crafted (Heraldry)  
46. Nimbous  
47. Oriental tea  
48. Lubricate  
50. Spread for drying

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**Portland Grain**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—Wheat: No futures; soft white 1.50; soft white excluding R 1.52; white club 1.52; western R 1.52.  
Hard red winter: Ordinary 1.50; 10 per cent 1.50; 11 per cent 1.53; 12 per cent 1.55.  
Hard white: 10 per cent 1.50; 11 per cent 1.51; 12 per cent 1.52.  
Today's car receipts: Wheat: B, barley 8, flour 1, corn 6, millfeed 2, flaxseed 1.

### Communicable Ills Increase 58 Per Cent

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—Communicable diseases increased 58 per cent in Oregon during 1943 with 28,411 cases reported compared to 18,030, the state board of health said this week.

Numerical and percentage increases were shown for smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid, poliomyelitis, meningitis, influenza and pneumonia. More cases of venereal diseases were reported but the percentage was down slightly. Tuberculosis fell off sharply.

### Stocks and Bonds

Thursday	71.3	25.9	35.4	50.7
Previous day	71.1	24.9	35.4	50.7
Week ago	70.9	24.9	35.3	50.2
Month ago	70.0	22.3	35.1	49.3
Year ago	61.8	19.2	28.2	42.7
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1943-44 low	60.2	18.3	27.1	41.7

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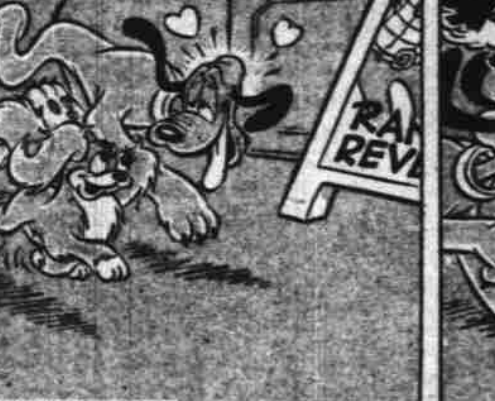
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3 Ft. Fleck Feeder with legs, reg. \$3.50, new	\$2

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